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(Our Case No. 1723-13001US01)

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For: METHODS OF SEARCHING FOR
SOLID FORMS AND
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ACCORDING TO ITS FORMS

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PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136, applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to file an Amendment in response to the Office Action dated July 2, 2003.

A \$950.00 check to cover the fee for extension within the third month is enclosed herewith. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment incurred in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 13-0017.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Michael B Harlin". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

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